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TO AMEMBASSY CONAKRY

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E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: RUMOR OF GOG MORATORIUM ON PRIVATE FOREIGN DEBT

1. BANK OF AMERICA IN WASHINGTON HAS RELAYED TO US A REPORT FROM ONE OF THEIR EUROPEAN BRANCHES THAT GOG PLANS TO STOP PAYMENT OF DEBTS TO CERTAIN PRIVATE FOREIGN SUPPLIERS, INCLUDING THOSE FROM FRANCE AND GERMANY. THIS WOULD REPORTEDLY NOT REPEAT NOT AFFECT DEBT TO BANKS, FOREIGN GOVERNMENTS OR INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS. THE TRANSACTIONS INVOLVED WERE APPARENTLY POORLY THOUGHT OUT AND RESULTED IN DELIVERY OF UNUSABLE EQUIPMENT. ONE ITEM MENTIONED WAS PURCHASE OF USED INDIAN TEXTILE SPINNING PLANTS.

2. WOULD APPRECIATE ANY CLARIFICATION EMBASSY CAN PROVIDE.

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